CALIFORNIA HIGH SPEED RAIL AUTHORITY PUBLIC MEETING

May 19, 1999 San Francisco Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Agenda Items **Responsible Party** Status* 1. Closed Session Closed Session pursuant to Government Code section 11126. subdivisions (e)(1),(e)(2)(B)(i), and (e)(2)(B)(ii), to determine if there is a significant exposure to litigation against the Authority, and, if so, to receive advice from the Authority's legal counsel pertaining to such exposure to litigation. 2. Magley Grant Application Mehdi Morshed Α Discussion and action regarding application for Federal Railroad Administration Preconstruction Grant for Magley. including discussion and action regarding contracting procedures for selecting and engaging services of a consultant, the role of HSRA in any such contract, and reconsideration of the resolution on the subject of the grant application and contrac selection procedure adopted by the Authority on April 21, 1999. 3. Approval of minutes for April 21, 1999 Meeting Vice-Chairman Graveline A 4. Members Report Vice-Chairman Graveline Α Mehdi Morshed Ι 5. Executive Directors Report 6. Authority Members Meetings for Compensation Mehdi Morshed Α 7. Approval of Ridership/Revenue Estimates Contract Mehdi Morshed Α 8. Northern California Route Options Presentation: Dan Leavitt I Technical Findings for VHS and Maglev Technologies Kip Field – Parsons Brinkerhoff Dan Brand – Charles River Associates The Corridor Evaluation and Ridership/Revenue Teams will present the corridor evaluation studies on the Northern California and Central Valley Corridor Alternatives. Focusing on the capital cost, travel time, operating cost, key constraints, ridership and revenue. The Authority will be making the selection of the recommended system for the Draft Business Plan at the June 1999 meeting.

9. System Integration Plan Update

The System Integration Team will provide an update report regarding its meetings with conventional rail stakeholders.

Art Bauer – Arthur Bauer & Associates

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10. Public Outreach Update

The Public Outreach Team will review its progress over the last month and provide an overview of the next quarter's activities. Outreach Team members also will describe the reception HSRA is receiving at major events.

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11. Public Outreach: Board of Advisors Update

The Public Outreach Team will review the status of the Board of Advisors and present plans for the Board's first meeting in June.

John Barna

Max Besler – Townsend, Raimundo, Besler & Usher Cynthia McClain Hill -- TAG

12. Public Comment